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THIS PAPER RECEIVES THE COMBINED TELEGRAPHIC-NEWS SERVICE OF THE SOUTHERN ASSOCIATED PRESS AND THE UNITED PRESS.

Are We Proud of Our Streets?

Not only the wheelmen, but the general public, begin to realize that the streets of Richmond are not creditable to her. If we wish to preserve Richmond's reputation as a beautiful city, we shall have to inaugurate a general plan of street-improvement. We are not "keeping up with the procession," as the saying is. Our streets are not as good as the streets of the average city of our size. In fact, Richmond has not a single street that is a first-class street, within the modern conception of the term. Main street has an excellent driveway of Belgian block, but its sidewalks are shockingly bad. Broad street has a driveway which will do well enough, but it should have better sidewalks. On Franklin and Grace streets neither the sidewalks nor the driveways are creditable to us.

These are facts, and must be admitted as such by every one who knows of the condition of our streets, and who has compared them with streets in other cities of our population.

After much discussion and great delay the City Council has just made an appropriation of \$100,000 for streets generally. This sum is hardly more than a drop in the bucket. Nor can much of the work that is to be done with it be begun until next year; the season for street-improvement having passed while the City Council was hemming and hawing about the appropriation.

So little money has been spent upon our streets for several years past that a large lump expenditure has now become absolutely necessary. This work of repairing and building must be done sooner or later, and the money must be raised, "somehow or other."

Atlanta and nearly all other cities that have made great improvements upon their streets have done so by taxing the abutting property-owners, not only for the cost of the sidewalks, but for one half of the cost of the driveways. Richmond people have hitherto been averse to this system, but they will eventually have to adopt it—that is to say, if they aspire to have as good streets as other cities. "Good roads" and "good streets" cost a deal of money, and see-saw as you may, there is no way of raising this money except by taxation. The only question is as to the form of taxation.

Unless we resolve to make the property-owner, who is specially benefited, bear a share of the cost, the whole cost must come out of the City Treasury.

But, in any event, the city must raise a considerable sum of money every year for several years to come. We believe financiers would advise us against issuing any more city bonds at present. They would only offer a small course open to us, would be to levy a small special tax to extend over several years, so as to fall as lightly as possible upon the community of tax-payers, but which would still be sufficient to provide us with the minimum sum that we need. We believe that our people would consent to this additional taxation if they could be assured that the funds thus raised would be spent as the needs of the city require, and not frittered away upon the inequitable and indefensible "ward division" plan, which has long prevailed here.

No matter what move we make in the direction of general street improvements, we shall doubtless have to call upon the General Assembly for legislation; and, as much as there will not be for two years another session than the one to begin in December we would do well to make up our minds now as to what we mean to do.

This subject of street improvements is one demanding the best attention of our business-men. We wish that the Chamber of Commerce would take it up and discuss it in one or more public meetings. We know of no better way to secure a thorough consideration of the subject. If Richmond is content to have her streets go from bad to worse, why let her say so, and other hand, if our people realize that they are laying up against the future the biggest job of street-building and street-repairing that any city of our size ever had, then let them devise plans for raising the money needed.

We speak in the interest of the whole community. That the wheelman is now a very important person in the community we recognize—and we should be highly gratified to see his request granted as to the Broad street track—but we are not arguing this question solely in his interest. We believe it to be for the good of the whole city to stop the decadence of our streets; to put them in order, and keep them in order, and to construct such new streets as will stimulate house-building in the East and West ends.

It is well enough to talk about "good roads," and good roads we should have in Virginia; but so far as Richmonders are concerned, the place to begin work

THE DAVIS MONUMENT.

The two responsible organizations having charge of the work of building a monument in this city to the memory of the Hon. Jefferson Davis are the Davis Monument Association and the United Confederate Veterans. The former is composed of Virginians; the latter of one member from each of the States which furnished the fighting men of the Confederacy. The two long ago agreed upon Monroe Park as the site for the monument. Now it has been settled between them that the local board may appoint a committee to secure a design for the monument; said committee's action, however, to be subject to the approval of the board and of the aforesaid Monument Committee representing all of the States of the Confederacy.

The correspondence perfecting this arrangement was read at the meeting of the board yesterday afternoon, and at the next meeting of the board the Committee on Design will be appointed. It will consist of seven members, with President J. Taylor Eliason at its head. Three of the seven members will be persons who are experts in matters likely to come before the committee.

As Dispatch readers know, this monument is to be erected in Monroe Park, and the corner-stone of it will be laid next May, when the United Confederate Veterans will hold their grand encampment here in the Exposition-Grounds. The arrangement of very active work in behalf of the monument, which is intended shall be worthy of the President of the Confederacy, and creditable to the southern people. The monument fund is not yet nearly so large as it is desirable that it should be—collections not having been pushed during the period of business prostration—but in the course of a few weeks agencies will be set to work all over the South, and it is not doubted that the results will be commensurate with the purpose of the people.

Parley, the Porter.

Parley, the Porter, admitted a man with a smooth tongue into his master's house, and found too late that he had betrayed his master's interests. The household articles were at once taken from the custody of Parley, the Porter, who had talked all the time they were being removed, and when all was over, the faithless, foolish sentinel found himself stripped of goods, as well as of authority. Too much tongue, we say, did the work for Parley.

We fear that the Democrats of Maryland are repeating just now some of the experience of Parley, the Porter. They seem to have sold out entirely to the Republicans last week, whose smooth-tongued orators were "too much" for the silly Democrats, who were led to pose as election-reformers. Will these Lowndes Democrats be allowed to take a part with the regular Democrats in the next Maryland elections?

Albion.

Henry Ward Beecher once told an anecdote which became a favorite with stump-speakers of a dog that thought he had chased a hare into a hollow log, and barked at the hole all day long. Senators Pugh and Morgan, of Alabama, are engaged in work that reminds us of this story. They are stumping their State in favor of a man to defeat Hon. W. C. Oates, the present Democratic incumbent of the office of Governor, because Mr. Oates is a sound-money man. The free-silver battle is to be fought over again, the telegraph tells us. We trust that Messrs. Pugh and Morgan and their Democratic followers will think better of this matter. Free coinage of silver, 16 to 1, was condemned by the people last week. The election will take place next August.

An Opinion.

The Mayor of Covington, Ky., opposite Cincinnati, on the Ohio river, who declares himself to be "an humble Democrat," says that Mr. Carlisle defeated Hardin for Governor by saying in reply to the interrogatory of a newspaper reporter a few days before the election that he would vote for whom he pleased. It was imprudent in Mr. Carlisle to give such an answer. We suspect, however, that there were what he considered good reasons for his harsh reply.

The Hon. Allen Granberry Thurman, whose illness continues to grieve his friends, was born at Lynchburg, in this State, on November 13, 1813. His father was Rev. Pleasant Thurman, a minister of the Methodist Church. His parents removed to Chillicothe in 1818. Like Washington, Thurman began life as a land surveyor; but, unlike Washington, he did not turn from surveying to arms, but to the study of the law. As a lawyer he was very successful. Among the public positions that he has held were member of the United States House of Representatives, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Ohio, and member of the United States Senate, and President pro tem. of that body. He was an unsuccessful candidate for Governor against Hayes in 1867. In the Senate he greatly endeavored himself to the South by his persistent efforts to mitigate the fury of Reconstruction legislation. His name was often prominently mentioned, and sometimes voted for, for the presidential nomination. In 1888 he was nominated for the vice-presidency, but Cleveland and Thurman were defeated by Harrison and Morton.

Judge Thurman's present illness is the result of a fall, and as he is now 83 years of age his recovery is not looked for. In fact, he has been in declining health ever since the death of his wife, two or three years ago. He resides with his son, Allen, at Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie has again made the city of Pittsburgh a princely gift. This time he gives a round million, making the total of his gifts to that city \$2,100,000. Mr. Carnegie's bounty includes a big library, music hall, art gallery, and free libraries at Duquesne, Carnegie, and Homestead, manufacturing districts, around Pittsburgh.

The Alabama Democrats will continue to blow down the muzzle of the financial gun.—Washington Post.

But such Democrats will, of course, be blown "up" by their associates. It is Senators Pugh and Morgan particularly who are blowing down the muzzle of the financial gun. The boys could teach them a lesson on this subject.

The Alabama Democrats have decided that they cannot drop the free silver question. The Alabama Democrats are therefore candidates for a thorough licking in a Wat Riddle.—Exchange Paper.

"Just so." A thorough "licking" awaits all the non-international free-coiners. Look out.

LITTLE THINGS.

A little panther is playful as a kitten, but nobody wants him as a pet. He will grow, you see.

A little bad habit gets to be a tyrannical master, and makes itself felt by moralists. And the moralists are right, too.

A little fit of temper may lead to a lifetime of regret. How many of us have to deplore sundried friendships and words we cannot recall.

A little cold of the sort so common at this time of the year grows fast as the baby panther, and as a companion is even more undesirable.

A little cold and observation will prove that the little cold will never grow to be pneumonia, if we have prompt recourse to that sterling preventive, Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey.

A little common sense will show that whatever the cause of the cold, the circulation, sharpens the appetite, and insures sound sleep is the best thing in the world for a cold. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey does these things. It is not the deduction as plain as day.

A little cold air striking the skin contracts the blood-vessels beneath it, and drives the blood deep into the body, causing congestion in first and inflammation afterwards. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey stimulates and equalizes the circulation, so that surface chill and internal excess of heat are corrected.

A little cough may indeed be stopped by a little cold, but the irritated membrane of the throat, but the general disorder, of which the cough is but a symptom, demands a tonic and stimulant to reach every fibre of the body. Because Duffy's Malt Whiskey does this its name is a household word.

THE TOWER.

JULIUS SYCLE & SONS.

Corner Second and Broad streets.

Just received 12 Stylish Box Coats, ripple backs, in genuine Boucle and Rough effects, price \$11, for \$8.50.

Double-Breasted Box, Ripple-Back Boucle and Shaggy Box, price \$9, for \$6.50.

Dressy Capes, Beaver Cloth, with silk linings, price \$12, for \$8.50.

30 Plush Capes, trimmed with fur, for \$6.50.

Beaver Capes, trimmed with satin, for \$4.

Misses' Double-Breasted Tan Coats, in 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 years, for \$3.50.

UPHOLSTERY DEPARTMENT.

We have on sale a variety of Damask that was bought at a great reduction, and will be sold remarkably cheap.

6c. Brocade, in all colors and pretty designs, for 5c.

8c. Brocade, in all colors and pretty designs, for 7c.

100 Pure Linen Huck Towels, price 18c. for 12-12-12.

1 lot of Pure White Satin Damask Towels, price 25c. for 50.

Ready-Made Table Cloths, in White Satin Damask, white fringe, for \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, and \$3.

Drawn Table Cloths, with Drawn Napkins, in small patterns and large patterns, for \$2, \$2.50, and \$3.

1 piece of Satin Damask Table Cloth, decorated figure, price \$2, for \$1.50.

1 lot of elegant Linen Table Cloths, small and large patterns, price 5c. for 50c.

DRESS GOODS.

We are showing more styles and more prices than any other house in town.

1 lot of All-Wool Dress Woods, that sold at 50c., for 25c.

1 lot of Novelty Dress Goods, illuminated checks, price 40c. for 25c.

1 lot of Illuminated Dress Cheviots for 35c.

We are showing Novelty Dress Goods at 50c., 65c., and 75c.

Black Dress Goods, in Boucle and Astrachan, price 40c. for 25c.

Heavy Black Cloakings at \$1.25, \$1.50, and \$2.

Breakfast Shawls, \$3.50, for 50c.

Breakfast Shawls, \$3.50, for 75c.

CARPETS, REMNANTS OF MATTINGS, AND RUGS.

Wool Ingrain Carpets, made, laid, and finished.

Two-Ply Wool Ingrain Carpets, choice patterns, price 50c. for 30c.

Brussels Carpets, 90, 10, 12, 14, and 16c. made and laid.

Matting at all prices—8, 10, 12-1-2, and 15c.

Brussels Rugs, 20c.

Sakal Rugs and Kashmir Rugs, \$1.35.

Plumelle Wrappers for 3c.

Cassimere, for boys' wear, 25, 35, and 40c.

CORNER SECOND AND BROAD.

(no 12-Tu,Th&Sa)

A. HUTZLER'S SONS,

315 east Broad street.

THERE IS NO DISCOUNT ON THE FULL VALUES WE FURNISH IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

Correct merchandising doesn't consist in placing fictitious values on unreliable qualities; but rather in dealing out to the purchaser those fabrics which are accompanied by guaranteed good faith, and backed up by UNIMPEACHABLE REPRESENTATION.

With us quality is the standard of excellence; style is the sentiment, and PRICE THE ATTRACTION.

DRESS GOODS IN GREAT VARIETY

New and Stylish Plaid, 25 and 40c.

Cheaper Plaid, if you wish them, 10 and 12-1-2.

All-Wool Serges, Black and Colors, 50c.

All-Wool Plaid and Mixed Plaid, 25c.

Covered Cloth, 20 inches wide, at 50c.

OPENING OF SPECIAL VALUES

IN ALL-WOOL BLACK DRESS GOODS.

Black Imperial Serges, 36 inches wide, 50c.

Black French Serges, 42 inches wide, 50c.

extra fine and heavy, a great bargain, 50c.

Wide-Wale Serges, 50 inches wide, 60 and 75c.

The greatest values ever seen in a special purchase of 4-inch German Henrietta, of celebrated Arnold make, sold a year ago at \$1 per yard—our price, 50c.

Figured Mohairs, scarlet materials in the market, 40, 50 and 60c. a yard.

Extra Fine Mohair Figured Creponettes, 42 inches wide, all the rage, \$1.50 per yard.

A. HUTZLER'S SONS,

315 east Broad street

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Pay Your Election Bets

With a pair of the latest-style shoes, one following to select from—today only!

LADIES' GOLF SHOES, 98c.

COVERED CLOTH, 20 inches wide, \$1.50 and \$1.

CELEBRATED JOHN KELLY'S MEN'S SHOES, in patent leather and calf, extension soles, hand-stitched, 83c.

SPECIAL.

100 pairs MEN'S SAMPLES, made of patent leather, and calf, 65c. worth \$1.

Pretty of MEN'S SHOES, all styles, \$1.25.

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33 BICYCLE SHOES, \$1.50.

FELT SLIPPERS and SHOES, 50c. and upward.

Special lot of SCHOOL SHOES, solid, 75c.

WITTEMORE'S GILT-EDGE POLISH, 15c.

COMBINATION TAN POLISH, 6c.

HOUSE SLIPPERS, 25c.

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7 AND 9 WEST BROAD STREET.

Silks.

Daily additions are being made to this already large stock, and an inspection will convince you that nowhere can you find such an assortment both in respect to quality and price.

Beautiful assortment of Taffetas in China, striped and broad effects (so suitable for either waists, or dresses), in both street and evening shades.

Beautiful assortment of Gros Grain, Peau de Soie, Gros de Londres, Armures, etc.; also complete line of Black Satins, every price representing a superior quality.

Dress Goods.

By repeated purchases we can still show an unbroken stock, containing all that is new in both Black and Colored Dress Goods. Beautifully made in both rough and plain goods from 75c. up.

We are also showing a nice assortment of Colored Plaid, now being used so extensively for waists.

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We make no startling assertions, but if you want good reliable goods, at prices commensurate with their value, give our stock an inspection and we feel certain that we can sell you.

COMBS. Heinrich & Co., COMBS.

113 EAST BROAD STREET.

DAME FASHION says COMBS. Do you wish to select from a

Complete. New, Fresh Stock?

See ours. All styles. We anticipated your wants ahead of the Dame on this side of the Atlantic, which we only can do, with a foreign buyer in all novelties, and places us at the bottom market prices. No middleman to pay a profit. Direct from Europe or manufacturer is our motto. You get the benefit of the low prices and six months ahead of any other house in the city. This is very important to remember.

A. E. HEINRICH & CO.,

113 east Broad street.

(no 12-Tu,Th&Sa)

WALNUT!

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If Walnut Chamber Suits must see our line. They

range in price from \$54 to \$200. No such value was offered the citizens of Richmond before. We also can

prove to you if you will only come to see ours that we have the cheapest and best selected

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You May Not Be Interested

in the fact that the sales of Carbolized Myrrh have doubled in the past six months,

BUT

certainly you're interested in the cause of this increase—and the cause is that Carbolized Myrrh is the purest and best Tooth-Wash on the market to-day. It is Washed at a smaller profit than any other Tooth-Wash in the world. A good size bottle costs 25c. Try one bottle. It hardens the gums and makes the teeth white. You'll find it delightful, refreshing.

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CHILDREN'S WRAPS from \$1.25 to \$2.50. MISSIES' WRAPS from \$1.25 to \$2.50. LADIES' WRAPS from \$2.50 to \$5.00.

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A very large new stock at ROCK-PORT. COTTAGE CARPETS at 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, and 25c. very low prices. INGRAIN CARPETS at \$2.50 and \$3.00 a yard at 80c. INGRAIN CARPETS at \$5, \$6, \$8, and \$10. FULL-PLY ALL-WOOL at 60c. worth \$1.

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A Fine Line of

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A full line of

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"THE BLOUNT"---CLOSES THE DOOR NOISELESSLY.

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Branch Store, 420 west Broad street.

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EVERYTHING SILVER AND GOLD BEAUTIFULLY MADE AT THE MANUFACTORY OF

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FINE WATCHES, JEWELRY.

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